



Re: Fw: EPA response to questions about the Pitchfork petition



Sheila Fleming to: Jed Januch

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Cc: Elizabeth Allen, Scott Downey, Brent Richmond, Mark Filippini

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Hi Jed,

Chad Schulze compiled a trip report and Richard Kaufman of ATSDR has compiled complaints and ODF investigation reports (or lack there of). When Scott and Elizabeth return from Oregon on Monday we'll figure out how to make these reports available to you.

Because the timber companies have advised us that they are not going to spray this year, the sampling has been scaled back to drinking water, garden fruits/vegetables/plants, and dairy, as well as biomonitoring to be conducted by OHA and ATSDR. I don't know if we will still need a field team of 4 or whether we can accomplish it with two people. Next week, when Elizabeth returns from the public meeting and meeting with Oregonians for Food and Shelter (lobbyists for the timber industry), we'd like to meet with you and Brent to talk about schedule, SAP/QAPP/HSP development, logistics, etc. I don't think we can be ready by August 1, but the week of the 22nd might work.

We'll know more next Monday.

Thanks, Sheila

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Subject: Re: Fw: EPA response to questions about the Pitchfork petition

I just thought of one more thing. Would it be possible for me to get access to reports including lab data, photographs of suspected herbicide drift, and any other supporting data related to Triangle Lake issue? This might be in the Department of Agriculture case files if it has not already been requested/received by EPA. If others have made observations or collected data, it would be helpful as well. It would help develop a background for the QAPP.

I spoke with Mark Filippini and it sounds like the ESU staff are cleared to participate in the field sampling for this project. I would like to volunteer to milk goats as well. I raised them when I lived in Spokane in my youth. I think that OEA will offer myself, Brent Richmond, Doc Thompson, and possibly Raymond Wu. The four of us have lots of experience working in the field together.

As far as availability, I am free the week of August 1. I have to train a commercial lab guy on use of the fluidized bed asbestos segregator on August 8 and 9. I will be hosting mercury analyzer training on August 16 and 17. I should be free the week of August 22. Right now, September is pretty open. As we start planning, I will check with the others on their availability.

Let me know if there are any questions about my request. Thank you.

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